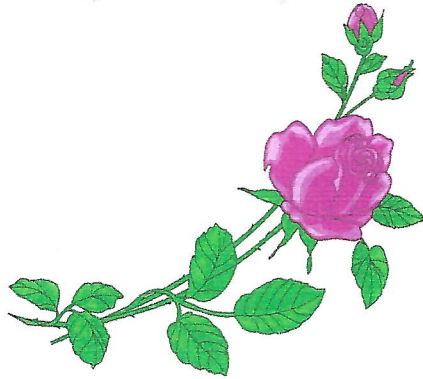




*In Loving Memory
of
Lee Elizabeth Jacobs*

June 4, 1909

January 28, 2000



Tuesday, February 1, 2000

2:00 P.M.

*New Hope Baptist Church
Bolton, North Carolina*

Rev. Don Carter, Pastor



Obituary

Lee Elizabeth Jacobs (Graham) daughter of the late Joe and Prudie Graham born June 4, 1909 departed this life January 28, 2000 around the hour of 10:00 a.m. in New Hanover Regional Hospital, being the age of 90 years 7 months and 24 days. She was preceded in death by her husband John D. Jacobs and a daughter Lela Mae Brewington.

At an early age "Ma Ma" Lee accepted the Lord into her life. She began by serving him in her daily living activities. As a member of New Hope Baptist Church, where she served many years as a dedicated teacher, her Christian living gave her students a sense of comfort, knowing that she cared for and loved them. She was a devoted, loving, caring and sharing mother to each and everyone that she came in contact with. First and foremost all of her duty was to God, who gave her the strength to endure and overcome life's hardest trials living the Christian life. She said on many occasions "put God first in our lives, others second, ourselves last, take care of the sick, do unto others as you would have them do unto you, and love one another."

She loved everyone and tried to show Love daily. Her hobbies were talking about the Lord, cooking and feeding all that would come and eat, sewing, gardening and surely Quilting.

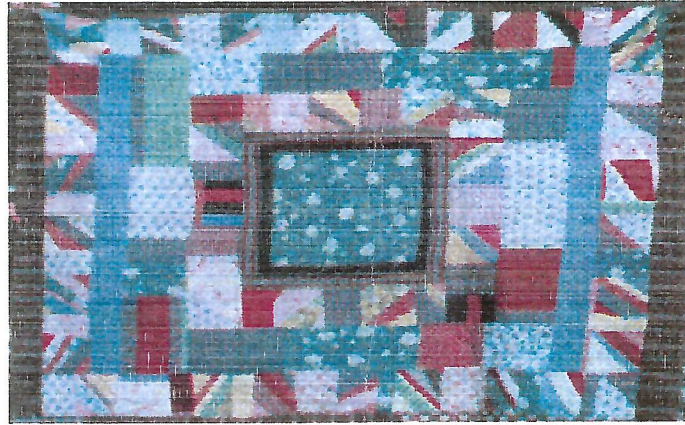
"Ma Ma" is survived by three sons, John Leo Jacobs (Mary), Paul Junior Jacobs (Kaye), Alvin Monroe Jacobs (Joyce), all of Bolton, N.C. three daughters, Gerldine Rowe (Charles) of Henderson, NC, Vonnie Mintz of Wilmington, N.C. and Virginia Rose Caison of Bolton, N.C.

Nine grandchildren Margie Faye Jacobs (Wade), of Bolton, NC, Timothy Leo Jacobs of Cary, NC, Charles Clay Rowe II, of Wilson, NC, Stefan Monroe Jacobs (Joan) of Bolton, NC, Daphne Arlene Jacobs, of Wilmington, NC, Lutha David Mintiz III (Nicki), of Holly Springs, NC, Paul Payton Jacobs (DeDe), of Bolton, NC, Brian Keith Caison and Shawn Alexander Caison of Bolton, NC.

Seven Great Grandchildren Shawna Elaine Jacobs, of Wilmington, NC, Andrea Lynn, Katelyn Elizabeth and Andrew Allen Jacobs all of Bolton, NC, Jordon David and Andrew Nicholas intz of Holly Springs, NC, and Hillary LeGail Jacobs of Bolton, NC.

Two sisters Mary Eliza Brown and Jeannie Mae Beatty (Marvin) of Bolton, NC, a host of nieces, nephews, friends, love ones and brothers and sisters in Christ.

A Special Tribute



Throughout her life, Miss Lee has generously shared her great love and talent for quilting with anyone willing to learn. The artistry of her creations and her tremendous contributions to the tradition of quilting in her community earned her a North Carolina Folk heritage Award in 1996.

Perhaps miss Lee's willingness to teach came from her own mother's example. "Yeah, Mama had to stop with me and show me how to do because I was worrying her so bad she couldn't get nowhere doing what she was trying to do!"

Miss Lee carries memories of Waccamaw quilting over three generations. "I like them old-time quilts," she says. "I reckon because I learned how to do quilts old-timey. Old-time was what you knowed yourself. You didn't have no paper and book kind of stuff. You accumulate this with your own mind. It ain't somebody else accumulated it and give it to you."

We will miss your comfort and kind words. Most of all, your presence.

Your Quilting Friends

Leta Jacobs, Florie Moore, Zadie Jacobs, Dorothy Jacobs, Juanita Jacobs, Brenda Moore, Jill Hemming (Chapel Hill), Shirley Freeman, Maggie Graham, Darlene Graham, Leslie Jones, Ruby Overton (Kinston) Martha Jacobs, Lucille Young, Rena J. Jacobs, Vera Freeman, Geneva Y. Jacobs, Peggy Gasman, Annie Jacobs, Nettie Freeman, Annie Carter (Clinton), Alma Brewington, (Clinton), Darlene Jacobs (Raleigh), Sue Young Jacobs, Peggy Jacobs, Avie Patrick, Carol Brewington, Linda McGloin (NC Arts Council) and the Waccamaw Siouan Tribal Organization.

Order of Service

Processional.....Farther Along
Prayer.....Elder W. L. Ammons
Scripture.....Rev. Michael Jacobs
Song....."Peace In The Valley".....Joe and Gail Mitchell
Obituary.....Sammie Jacobs
Poem.....Shirley Freeman
Song..... On the Wings of An Angel"....Nadine Patrick
Message.....Rev. Don Carter
Song.....Sweet By and By.....Nadine Patrick & Congregation
Recessional.....Farther Along

Interment

Red Hill Cemetery

"For I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course. I have kept the faith: henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which is the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day and not to me only but unto all them also that love his appearing."

2 Timothy 4:6-8

Honorary Floral Bearers

Senior Women's Class
New Hope Baptist Church

Active Floral Bearers

Laurine Hufham
Renee Jacobs
Margaret Moore
Christine Patrick
Jackie C. Jacobs

Peggy Jacobs
Mollie Russ
Renee Cole
Brenda Moore
Barbara Allen

Ineal Freeman

Honorary Pallbearers

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Rick Freeman
Ronald Freeman
Joel Moore
Andrew James Graham

Donald Freeman
Cleo Beatty
Jerome Moore
William Graham

Senior Adult Mens Class
New Hope Baptist Church

Active Pallbearers

Carson Lee Jacobs
Garland Patrick
Welton Jacobs

Wilson Jacobs
Ervin Jacobs
A.D. Jacobs

Ushers

Arlene Moore
Jackie Young

Marcella Jacobs
Carolyn Young

Acknowledgment

The Family would like to thank everyone for the kind expression of love and sympathy shown toward us please continue to pray for us.

A special Thanks to Uncle Ossie and Aunt Lucy, Mavis Ward, Barbara Young, Annette Anglin, and to each and everyone may

God Bless You and May you know that we love you.

The Family